



WASTE COLLECTOR

Job Code: 4047

EEO Class Code: Service Maintenance

Union Status: AFSCME

FLSA Code: Non-Exempt

Salary Grade: o205

NATURE OF WORK

This is heavy duty manual labor in the collection and disposal of waste materials from commercial and residential premises of the City.

ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES OF ESSENTIAL DUTIES

- Collects waste materials, garbage, and trash from commercial and residential premises as part of a truck crew
- Rides the tailgate of waste collection equipment and performs work in all weather conditions, if necessary
- Works as part of a crew collecting and disposing of litter from street, parking lots, and other open areas
- Follows instructions
- Adheres to safe operating procedures
- Uses equipment provided to assist in the work, wearing protective garments, gloves, and footwear, as required
- Works as a team with fellow employees and maintains good relations with the public
- Reports all accidents and injuries incurred while performing duties to supervisor
- Performs related work as required

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES

- Physical strength, stamina, and ability to lift, move and carry very heavy materials and containers
- Willingness to ride the tailgate of a garbage packer, to work under all weather conditions, and to work constantly with and handle unpleasant waste material
- Ability to understand and carry out oral instructions
- Ability to work effectively with other employees and the public

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

- Six (6) months' experience performing semi-skilled manual labor

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS

- Must have the use of sensory skills in order to effectively communicate and interact with other employees and the public through the use of the telephone and personal contact
- Continuous standing, walking, moving, climbing, carrying, bending, kneeling, and handling
- Ability to lift very heavy objects
- Physical strength, stamina, and ability to lift, move and carry very heavy materials and containers

SUPERVISION RECEIVED

- Assignments and work methods are specific and outlined in detail and work is subject to close supervision

SUPERVISION EXERCISED

- None